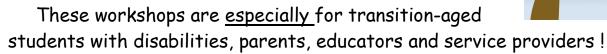


2010

Fall SELF-ADVOCACY Series

Sponsored by Wisconsin FACETS & Independence First



Location:

INDEPENDENCE FIRST
540 S. 1st St.
Milwaukee, WI 53204

SESSION 1: CAREER EXPLORATION

Tuesday, October 12, 2010, 6-8pm

Representatives from Independence *First*, the Dept. of Vocational Rehabilitation, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and the Volunteer Center of Milwaukee will lead a panel discussion on career options, employment rights & job resources for people with disabilities.

SESSION 2: WHAT TO EXPECT IN COLLEGE

Tuesday, October 26, 2010, 6-8pm

Participants will learn differences between colleges, universities & technical schools & discuss which type might be right for them. Local college representatives will discuss how to get accommodations in college & how to apply for financial aid. Youth with disabilities will share their college experiences.

SESSION 3: INDEPENDENT LIVING SKILL: Conflict Resolution

Tuesday, November 9, 2010, 6-8pm

Participants will engage in an interactive workshop on peaceful conflict resolution, presented by the Peace Learning Center of Milwaukee. Emphasis will be on how to manage daily conflict, how to understand other perspectives, healthy communication and promoting nonviolence skills.

Booklet on "Skills for Negotiating and Resolving Conflict" for all youth attending.

All sessions are FREE

Registrations: Contact Matthew Zellmer @ 414-374-4645x103

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Reasonable requests for accommodation will be granted with 2 weeks advanced notice. Independence *First* requests that guests not use perfume, scented soaps, etc. Independence-*First* is a smoke-free environment.

